December 2014 Labor Report January 23, 2015



Kansas Nonfarm Jobs

				Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
	December '14	November '14	December '13	Actual	Percentage	Actual	Percentage
Kansas*							
Total Nonfarm	1,404.6	1,409.4	1,392.0	-4.8	-0.3	12.6	0.9
Total Private	1,140.9	1,143.1	1,128.2	-2.2	-0.2	12.7	1.1
Goods-Producing	229.7	231.8	229.6	-2.1	-0.9	0.1	0.0
Mining and Logging	11.2	11.3	10.6	-0.1	-0.9	0.6	5.7
Construction	58.5	60.6	56.5	-2.1	-3.5	2.0	3.5
Manufacturing	160.0	159.9	162.5	0.1	0.1	-2.5	-1.5
Service-Providing	1,174.9	1,177.6	1,162.4	-2.7	-0.2	12.5	1.1
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	266.5	264.2	268.5	2.3	0.9	-2.0	-0.7
Information	29.1	28.9	27.7	0.2	0.7	1.4	5.1
Financial Activities	75.6	76.1	76.8	-0.5	-0.7	-1.2	-1.6
Professional & Business Services	170.4	171.4	166.1	-1.0	-0.6	4.3	2.6
Education & Health Services	194.0	193.6	189.5	0.4	0.2	4.5	2.4
Leisure & Hospitality	120.3	121.7	117.5	-1.4	-1.2	2.8	2.4
Other Services	55.3	55.4	52.5	-0.1	-0.2	2.8	5.3
Government	263.7	266.3	263.8	-2.6	-1.0	-0.1	0.0

^{*}Not seasonally adjusted. Data in thousands.

Nonfarm Jobs in Kansas MSAs

				Over the Month Change		Over the Year Change	
	December '14	November '14	December '13	Actual	Percentage	Actual	Percentage
Lawrence MSA							
(Douglas County)							
Total Nonfarm	54.6	54.2	52.7	0.4	0.7	1.9	3.6
Goods-Producing	5.0	5.2	5.0	-0.2	-3.8	0.0	0.0
Service-Providing	49.6	49.0	47.7	0.6	1.2	1.9	4.0
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	7.9	7.9	8.0	0.0	0.0	-0.1	-1.3
Professional and Business Services	5.3	5.4	5.2	-0.1	-1.9	0.1	1.9
Education & Health Services	5.8	5.8	5.7	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.8
Leisure and Hospitality	6.5	6.6	6.3	-0.1	-1.5	0.2	3.2
Government	16.8	16.5	16.6	0.3	1.8	0.2	1.2
Manhattan MSA							
(Geary, Pottawatomie and Riley Counties)						
Total Nonfarm	58.4	59.8	57.4	-1.4	-2.3	1.0	1.7
Goods-Producing	6.1	6.4	6.1	-0.3	-4.7	0.0	0.0
Service-Providing	52.3	53.4	51.3	-1.1	-2.1	1.0	1.9
Government	21.1	21.7	20.9	-0.6	-2.8	0.2	1.0
Topeka MSA							
(Jackson, Jefferson, Osage, Shawnee and							
Total Nonfarm	112.2	112.9	111.3	-0.7	-0.6	0.9	0.8
Goods-Producing	13.1	13.3	12.9	-0.2	-1.5	0.2	1.6
Mining, Logging and Construction	6.0	6.2	5.9	-0.2	-3.2	0.1	1.7
Manufacturing	7.1	7.1	7.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.4
Service-Providing	99.1	99.6	98.4	-0.5	-0.5	0.7	0.7
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	19.0	18.9	19.1	0.1	0.5	-0.1	-0.5
Information	1.5	1.5	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.1	7.1
Financial Activities	6.9	6.9	7.1	0.0	0.0	-0.2	-2.8
Professional and Business Services	13.5	13.6	13.1	-0.1	-0.7	0.4	3.1
Education & Health Services	18.0	18.0	17.8	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.1
Leisure and Hospitality	9.6	9.7	9.0	-0.1	-1.0	0.6	6.7
Other Services	4.6	4.7	4.7	-0.1	-2.1	-0.1	-2.1
Government	26.0	26.3	26.2	-0.3	-1.1	-0.2	-0.8

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Wichita MSA							
(Butler, Harvey, Sedgwick and Sumner	Counties)						
Total Nonfarm	292.6	294.0	291.5	-1.4	-0.5	1.1	0.4
Goods-Producing	67.3	67.5	67.0	-0.2	-0.3	0.3	0.4
Mining, Logging and Construction	16.5	16.9	15.5	-0.4	-2.4	1.0	6.5
Manufacturing	50.8	50.6	51.5	0.2	0.4	-0.7	-1.4
Service-Providing	225.3	226.5	224.5	-1.2	-0.5	0.8	0.4
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	51.2	50.6	51.8	0.6	1.2	-0.6	-1.2
Information	4.5	4.5	4.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	4.7
Financial Activities	10.7	10.7	10.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Professional and Business Services	32.9	33.4	32.5	-0.5	-1.5	0.4	1.2
Education & Health Services	45.6	45.8	44.3	-0.2	-0.4	1.3	2.9
Leisure and Hospitality	28.9	28.6	29.1	0.3	1.0	-0.2	-0.7
Other Services	10.7	10.7	10.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.9
Government	40.8	42.2	41.2	-1.4	-3.3	-0.4	-1.0
Kansas City Area							
(Franklin, Johnson, Leavenworth, Linn,	Miami and Wyando	tte Counties)					
Total Nonfarm	460.4	458.3	453.3	2.1	0.5	7.1	1.6
Goods-Producing	52.7	53.0	50.2	-0.3	-0.6	2.5	5.0
Mining, Logging and Construction	19.9	19.7	17.0	0.2	1.0	2.9	17.1
Manufacturing	32.8	33.3	33.2	-0.5	-1.5	-0.4	-1.2
Service-Providing	407.7	405.3	403.1	2.4	0.6	4.6	1.1
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	97.3	96.3	98.4	1.0	1.0	-1.1	-1.1
Information	15.6	15.6	15.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	2.0
Financial Activities	33.6	33.8	34.5	-0.2	-0.6	-0.9	-2.6
Professional and Business Services	89.0	88.5	82.8	0.5	0.6	6.2	7.5
Education & Health Services	63.2	62.3	61.9	0.9	1.4	1.3	2.1
Leisure and Hospitality	32.8	32.7	34.4	0.1	0.3	-1.6	-4.7
Other Services	16.5	16.5	16.3	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.2
Government	59.7	59.6	59.5	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.3

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services, in conjunction with the Bureau of Labor Statistics